

WASHINGTON METROPOLITAN AREA TRANSIT COMMISSION

WASHINGTON, D.C.

ORDER NO. 2767

IN THE MATTER OF:

Served September 20, 1985

Application of DSR INTERNATIONAL,)
INC., for Special Authorization to)
Conduct Charter Operations Pursuant)
to Contract with the United States)
Department of Health and Human)
Services, Public Health Service)

Case No. CP-85-10

By application filed August 28, 1985, DSR International, Inc. ("DSR" or "applicant"), seeks authority pursuant to WMATC Special Certificate of Public Convenience and Necessity No. 1 to transport employees of the United States Department of Health and Human Services, Public Health Service ("PHS") along with others on official business with PHS, together with baggage in the same vehicle as passengers, in charter operations pursuant to a contract with PHS. Applicant would transport employees on "Route 1" from the parking lot at 5640 Nicholson Lane, Rockville, Md. to the Twinbrook Metro Stop, via White Flint Metro Stop and 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville, Md., and on "Route 2" from 5600 Fishers Lane, Rockville to 3700 East-West Highway, Hyattsville, Md., via 5640 Nicholson Lane, Rockville, Building 31 of the National Institute of Health, Medical Center Metro Stop, the 8500 block of Cameron Street, Silver Spring, the Silver Spring Metro Stop, and the Takoma Park Metro Stop.

Order No. 2758, served September 4, 1985, generally described the evidence submitted with the application, and that order is incorporated by reference herein. The Commission required publication of notice and the filing of an affidavit of publication. Applicant complied with these requirements, and no protest to the application was received by the Commission within the time set therefor.

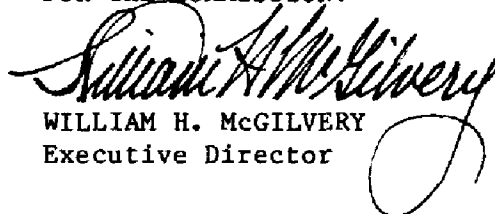
Commission Regulation No. 70 provides that an application of this type will be granted if it is determined that the applicant is fit, willing, and able properly to perform the proposed service and to conform to the provisions of the Compact and the rules, regulations, and orders of the Commission thereunder, and if it is determined that the proposed operations conform to the provisions of Regulation No. 70. The issue of whether the public convenience and necessity requires such service has been determined in Case No. MP-79-04. See Order No. 2004, served June 20, 1979.

Inasmuch as the contract is for a fixed term of at least 181 days and provides for the transportation of employees pursuant to a contract with their employer, the Commission finds that this application conforms to the requirements of Commission Regulation No. 70. It is further found, based on the evidence of record as described in Order No. 2758, that applicant is fit, willing, and able properly to provide the service described above and to conform to the requirements of the Compact and the rules, regulations, and orders of the Commission thereunder.

Applicant has filed a list of the equipment to be used in providing this service, and an appropriate certificate of insurance covering those vehicles. An appropriate authorization shall be issued.

IT IS SO ORDERED.

FOR THE COMMISSION:


WILLIAM H. MCGILVERY
Executive Director